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INFORMATION REPORT

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SOURCE:

1. The Soviet-administered Dejazmatch-Balcha Hospital in Addis Ababa is currently charging patients according to the following schedule of fees for medical services:

a. Polyclinic (out-patient) services.

1. Consultation charges.

First visit - - - - -	\$ Eth. 2.00
Second visit - - - - -	1.00
Children (all visits) - - - - -	1.00
2. Injections (except more expensive ones, such as streptomycin) - - - - - 2.00
3. Tooth extraction - - - - - 3.00
4. Prescription filling: pro rata according to cost of ingredients.

b. Clinic (in-patient) services.

1. Room charges (per diem).

First-class room - - - - -	12.00
Second-class room (two persons per room) - -	7.00
Third-class room (three persons per room) -	5.00
2. X-ray charges.

Abdominal - - - - -	7.00
Pulmonary - - - - -	4.00
Large film for abdominal X-ray - - - - -	12.00
Small film for hand, foot, etc. - - - - -	8.00

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3. Cost of medicines varies with kind.

4. Cost of operations is determined by surgeon.

2. Instructions were recently received from Moscow that the Dejazmatch Balcha Hospital beginning 1 January 1953 must operate on a self-supporting basis and is to receive no more aid from Moscow. 25X1C

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1. [REDACTED] Comment. In the past the hospital has operated sometimes at a loss and sometimes at a profit.

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2. [REDACTED] Comment. Vladimir Bryukhanov arrived in Addis Ababa on 26 April 1951. Since his arrival he has been consistently reported to be serving as an X-ray technician at the Dejazmatch Balcha Hospital [REDACTED] 25X1A

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3. [REDACTED] Comment. The confidence and good reputation which the Dejazmatch Balcha Hospital has enjoyed for the past several years has begun to deteriorate, especially since the departure of the last director, Dr. Yuri Kachmenski, on 10 September 1952.

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